GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1182
ANSWERED ON:01.08.2005
PLANTATION PROGRAMMES
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Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) the details of plantation programmes being implemented in different parts of the country during the Tenth Five Year Plan, State-wise;

(b) the progress and achievements made so far;

(c) whether the Government has taken any steps to achieve the targets for these programmes in different States; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS(SHRI NAMO NARAIN MEENA)

(a) The Ministry of Environment and Forests is implementing National Afforestation Programme (NAP) scheme in the country for regeneration of degraded forest and adjoining lands. The scheme is being implemented through a two-tier decentralized mechanism of Forest Development Agency (FDA) at Forest Division level and Joint Forest Management Committees (JFMCs) at village level.

(b), (c) and (d) It is envisaged to operationalise FDAs in all 811 Forest Divisions in the country during the Tenth Five Year Plan. 620 FDA Projects have been approved in all 28 States upto 31.03.2005 to treat an area of 8.68 lakh hectares. The State-wise details are given in the Annexure.

Annexure

ANNEXURE REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PART (b), (c) and (d) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1182 DUE FOR ANSWER ON 01.08.2005 REGARDING PLANTATION PROGRAMMES. NATIONAL AFFORESTATION PROGRAMME

STATE-WISE NUMBER OF APPROVED PROJECTS (As on 31 .03.2005)

S.No.	State	FDA Projects No.
1	Andhra Pradesh	28
2	Chhattisgarh	29
3	Gujarat	16
4	Haryana	16
5	Himachal Pradesh	27
6	Jammu & Kashmir	31
7	Karnataka	41
8	Madhya Pradesh	44
9	Maharashtra	41
10	Orissa	32
11	Punjab	5
12	Rajasthan	16
13	Tamil Nadu	31
14	Uttar Pradesh	56
15	Uttaranchal	30
16	Goa	3
17	Jharkhand	27
18	Bihar	7
19	Kerala	14
20	West Bengal	16
21	Arunachal Pradesh	13
22	Assam	24
23	Manipur	12

24	Nagaland	16
25	Sikkim	7
26	Tripura	12
27	Mizoram	19
28	Meghalaya	7
	Total	620